

Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 11, 1901.

LOCAL MATTERS.

8:15 times tomorrow at 4:33 a. m. and sets at 7:20 p. m. High water at 3:12 a. m. and 3:32 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair tonight and Wednesday; light variable winds, mostly southwesterly.

TROUBLE WITH THE AUTHORITIES.

The facts concerning the beginning of work for an additional track for the Southern Railway Company at the east end of the Wilkes street tunnel were published in yesterday's Gazette. When the matter was brought to the attention of Mayor Simpson he directed City Engineer Holcombe to stop the work of digging up the street. Mr. C. W. Ellis, foreman of the gang of workmen, then directed the laborers to remove south of the street, where they worked until the close of the day. This morning Officer Keith Davis stationed himself at the scene of operations and when Mr. Ellis and the workmen appeared he forbade them renewing operations on the street. The foreman said he had orders from the division superintendent of the railroad to cut through the ground, as it was the private property of the company and south of the building line of the street. The officer told him he must urge all that to the city authorities. He had orders to arrest any man who prosecuted the work any further. Mr. Ellis then directed the men to persons some work on the north side of the street and he started in search of the City Engineer. The latter, however, could do nothing to relieve the situation. The fact remained that if the new track was laid there would be a thing of the past so far as passageway over it with vehicles was concerned. Mayor Simpson was inexorable, as he could not, under the circumstances, allow the work to proceed. It is thought, however, that some amicable arrangement will be made so that the track can be built. This can be arrived at by the company cutting away a part of the north end of Windmill Hill and grading another roadway from Lee to Union street. In the meantime the workmen are engaged in digging on both sides of the street.

The geography of this locality is not familiar to every one, and it may be proper to state that the stone work of the east end of the tunnel extends from one building line to the other on Wilkes street at its intersection with Lee. Therefore what is now a roadway from the latter thoroughfare to Union street is, strictly speaking, the property of the company. The railroad officials, however, have acknowledged it as a part of Windmill Hill and grading the square to Union street. Besides this they have erected a fence east from the stone work of the tunnel. The company, it is said, agreed nearly fifty years ago to construct a wall the entire length of the square (as they did at the west end) and keep the street open. The only semblance of the fulfillment of the promise is the flimsy fence now standing. It is also alleged that in 1873 the track now running from the tunnel to the barge wharf was laid without permission from the city authorities. Should the proposed track be laid it will be necessary to make a cut about seven feet deep through the street, which would effectually close it to vehicles, at least.

[Since the above was in type City Engineer Holcombe had a consultation with the railway officials and the result has been an amicable adjustment of the matter. The Engineer informed the representatives of the company that the city must have a suitable roadway from Lee to Union street, and suggested that it would be satisfactory to the city if the company would construct a thoroughfare south of their new track, as suggested above. The officials, after consultation with their attorneys, agreed to accept this proposition. The new track will therefore be laid and fenced in and a new roadway opened through the square.]

JOINT CELEBRATION.—We have received an invitation to attend the joint celebration of the literary societies (Fairfax and Blackford) of the Episcopal High School to be held next Tuesday night. The following is the announcement:

Fairfax Society—President, Benjamin C. Hodgman, West Virginia; vice-president, Lefebvre Isaacs, Virginia; Medalists: Reader, Robert J. Wright, Texas; declaimer, John H. Elliott, South Carolina; debater, Edward S. Fawcett, Jr., Virginia. Committee of Arrangements: Robert Kenneth Waters, Maryland; joint chairman, D. G. Moore, Virginia; J. C. Jones, Jr., Texas; R. W. Barnwell, South Carolina; Paul Micon, Virginia; C. B. Crawford, Virginia; J. G. Trigg, Virginia. Joint Vaudeville: John Habersham Elliott, Jr., South Carolina, of the Fairfax Society.

Blackford Society—President, Thos. T. Trapnell, West Virginia; vice-president, Carroll C. St. John, Virginia. Medalists: Reader, Thomas P. Bryan, Virginia; declaimer, Oscar DeW. Randolph, Illinois; debater, Harrison C. Berkeley, Virginia. Committee of Arrangements: N. P. Barton, Louisiana; F. E. Carter, Virginia; P. E. Nalle, Virginia; J. L. Greenhaw, Virginia; E. W. Moore, West Virginia; C. S. L'Engle, Jr., Georgia.

RIVER NOTES.—The steamer Wakefield, which arrived on Sunday from the lower Potomac, brought up about twenty hogheads of tobacco for shipment to Baltimore.

The Weems line steamer Potomac has resumed her place upon the route between Washington, Alexandria, the river landings and Baltimore, relieving the steamer Sue, which is to be overhauled. Since she was last in port here the Potomac has been given her summer overhauling and repainting. She will run upon the route in conjunction with the steamer Northumberland.

The steamer launch Jas. S. Douglas, belonging to Mr. Anthony E. Smoot, is being rebuilt, and when completed will be about as good as a new boat. Mr. Smoot is also having built a larger and more powerful engine for the boat. The launch when completed will be roomy and will be used by its owner for hunting and fishing trips on the river.

Dr. Bull's Colicured Pills cure many ills. One pill a dose. Box 25 pills, 10 cts. Cures Constipation, Liver Troubles, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Impure Blood and Poor Blood, Female Complaints, Stomach and Bowel Disorders. Dr. Bull's Pills never gripe. Sold by Richard Gibson and all druggists.

BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.—The regular monthly meeting of the Business Men's League was held last night. The attendance was small. President M. B. Harlow presided and Mr. W. F. Carne was secretary. After the reading of minutes of the last meeting the secretary read a communication from the Southern Industrial Association asking the league to appoint delegates to the convention to be held at Philadelphia in the interest of Southern trade. It was agreed that the President appoint such gentlemen as can find it convenient to attend. A communication was also read from the Business Men's Association of Buffalo stating that they could furnish accommodation for all members of business associations who desired to attend the exhibition in that city. An application from C. A. Dexter, of Columbus, Ga., for information concerning the resources, and facilities of this section was received and the secretary ordered the secretary to direct to furnish the information. The board at an early hour adjourned.

FIRES.—The barn and nearly all of its contents on Joseph Pullman's farm, in Fairfax county, a short distance south of Hunting Creek, were destroyed by fire about four o'clock yesterday afternoon. A valuable horse, a buggy, two wagons, several sets of harness, and a quantity of feed were also lost. The fire is supposed to have been started accidentally by some children who had been playing about the building.

Alarm of fire between six and seven o'clock yesterday evening was caused by a burning chimney at Smoot & Co's planing mill, on north Lee street. About eight o'clock another alarm was sounded by the explosion of a lamp in the residence of Mr. Richard Rowland, on Wilkes street, near Lee. The damage in both instances was slight.

CORPORATION COURT.—Judge J. K. M. Norton presiding.—Jane Whiting et al. vs. Alice Johnson et al.; chancery. Report of E. B. Taylor, commissioner in chancery, confirmed and decree for sale of the real estate of Douglas Stuart appointed commissioner to sell. Report of E. B. Taylor, commissioner in chancery, confirmed and decree for sale of the real estate of Douglas Stuart appointed commissioner to sell.

Administration upon the estate of the late Mrs. Ella Marbury was granted to F. F. Marbury at the request of Addison Marbury, who renounced his right to administer upon the estate.

FINED TEN DOLLARS.—A young man while in an exhilarated condition last night went on north Lee street and terrorized some female inmates of one of the houses. Officers Young and Hall repaired to the scene and took charge of the offender. The latter fought the officers, and Lieutenant Smith, who had also appeared, took aid of the obstreperous man. The lieutenant was assaulted and while tugging at the prisoner fell over a cellar door and injured one of his hands. He was finally compelled to hit the man in order to subdue him. This morning the prisoner was fined \$10 by the Mayor.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. G. H. Evans went to Petersburg to attend the funeral of her aunt, not her sister, as previously stated.

Miss Grace S. Williams and Mr. Louis E. O'Neill were quietly married in this city on the 5th instant. Rev. Father H. J. Cutler performed the ceremony.

Chief Petty of the Fire Department, will go to Westminster, Md., tomorrow with the Columbia company.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Davis and their little son Courtney, have returned from a pleasant visit of ten days to relative in Mississippi.

Capt. M. L. Price, who was taken ill on the street yesterday, has much improved.

BODY IDENTIFIED.—The body of John A. Downs was discovered late yesterday afternoon by Capt. Barker, of the steamer Harry Randall, near Craney Island, a short distance north of Glymont. The finding of the body was reported at Washington and the steam launch Lovey Randall was gotten under weigh, with the necessary appliances for taking the body to Washington. The body is said to be discolored, but otherwise in an excellent state of preservation. It was taken to the home of the deceased today.

LOST HIS TERTH.—A well-known resident of Fairfax, who has recently returned from a visit to the Buffalo Exposition, had a thrilling adventure. He extended his excursion trip to Niagara Falls and, bent on taking it all in, descended to the cave of the winds. He had the same experience of all who have tempted providence by going under the tremendous cataract with this addition—before he emerged Zeolus had deprived him of a set of false teeth, his having been blown from his mouth.

REPORT FILED.—Commissioner in Chancery E. B. Taylor filed in the Circuit Court for the city today his report in the chancery suit of W. Bladen Jackson, administrator, vs. James E. Hibbs and Eliza Brown. The commission reports that the plaintiffs are entitled to recover the sum of \$1,192.41 with interest from March 13, 1893, and to have sold to pay the same, the interests of the defendants in certain real estate in the city. Mr. J. M. Johnson represents the complainants.

POLICE COURT.—The following cases were disposed of today:

Two young boys, charged with disorderly conduct, were dismissed.

A NEW VENTURE.—Noticeable along Alexandria's new departures in line of business improvement is the fact that among our progressive butchers and cattle dealers, Messrs. M. Schuler, O. F. Baggett and Joseph Chancey have brought from Indiana a carload of fat cattle for their slaughtering purposes. An incident of like character was unknown among the long line of successful meat dealers of this city and environment—men who have passed and gone, but who have left their mantle of pioneer enterprise to fall upon the shoulders of their young successors for whom we wish success.

REBATE.—Under an act of Congress passed March 2, 1901, which goes into effect July 1, Mr. Park Agnew, collector of internal revenue for this district, gives notice that there will be a rebate allowed on original unbroken stamped factory packages of manufactured tobacco of 2 1/2 lbs. per lb.; smoking tobacco, 2 1/2 lbs.; snuff, 2 1/2 lbs.; on cigars weighing more than 3 lbs. per thousand, 60¢; on cigars weighing not more than 3 lbs. per thousand 40¢. There will be no rebate on cigarettes. No rebate for a less sum than \$10 will be allowed.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Harry B. Caton has been appointed a notary public.

Turtle soup will be served all day tomorrow at the Concordia.

The Emerson Works were testing their steam pump again today.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the City Council will be held tonight.

The temperature has risen perceptibly during the past twenty-four hours.

The A. L. I. held their weekly drill last night. Maj. W. M. Smith was in command.

A dog said to have been mad was killed by the police officer at the local depot today.

Some young ladies on upper Prince street will give a lawn party at No. 1220 on that street tonight.

The city finance committee met last night and made their annual settlement with the tax collector.

The Twenty-ninth Regiment Chapter will meet at Lee Camp Hall tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

The Fire Wardens met last night and transacted considerable business connected with the fire department.

At the meeting yesterday of the County Supervisors several road contracts were given out and the meeting adjourned till the 20th.

The schooner Rebecca Taulaine, with plaster for the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, has sailed from Windsor, N. S.

The commencement exercises of St. Mary's Academy are being held in the Opera House. An elaborate programme was prepared for the occasion.

We have received an invitation to attend the closing exercises of The School for Girls, at 507 Prince street, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of Alexandria Council, National Union, held last night, only routine business was transacted.

Mr. Charles Perkins, who married Miss Carrie Dawson, of this city, died in Washington last night. The remains will be brought here for interment.

Mr. John Clarke while working at the foundry of Messrs. Carlin and Butts yesterday evening had one of his toes badly mangled by a big piece of iron falling on his foot.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Stephen Schooler and Florie Davis, both of this city, and to Benjamin F. Brown, of Fairfax, and Keole Cuthbert.

At a meeting last night of the Columbia Street Fire Engine Company the final arrangements for their trip to Westminster, Md., were made. The members of the company will leave here tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

The trial of Josephine Johnson, colored, on the charge of stealing various articles of apparel from Mrs. W. W. Johnson, of Washington, took place in that city yesterday. Among those who testified to the good character of the accused were two colored clergymen, Mrs. Laura E. French and Hattie Darnell, colored, a dressmaker, all of this city. The defendant was acquitted.

Shortly after nine o'clock last night Dennis L. Bohon, the infant child of Mrs. Mary Bohon, of 473 F street southwest, Washington, upset a kerosene lamp on the dining room table, and was burned to death before assistance could be rendered. The child was alone in the room in the basement at the time, having been left for a few moments by his attendant, a ten-year-old boy, who was supposed to take care of him while his mother went out for a car ride.

The bilious, tired, nervous man cannot successfully compete with his healthy rival. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the famous pills for constipation will remove the cause of your troubles. Sold by E. S. Leadbaster & Sons.

Upperville Colt Show.

Southern Railway agents at Bluemont, Harrisonburg, Warrenton, Front Royal and intermediate stations will sell June 11th, 12th and 13th at greatly reduced rates, round city tickets to Ecotown or Delaplane, Va., good to return until June 15th, account the Upperville Colt Show.

AUCTION SALES.

By S. H. Lent, Auctioneer.

HIS LIFE SAVED

By Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

"I am sure that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at one time saved my life," says A. E. Lafalotte, of Gregory Landing, Clarke county, Missouri. "I was in such bad shape that the doctors said I could not live. When I was at the lowest ebb, one of my neighbors brought in a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and I took it and got instant relief. I soon got up and around. That was nine years ago and I am still in good health. Since then that medicine has always been in my house and always will be. It is the best on earth." For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

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20 pieces Black and White Figured Pique—fast colors—had all season for 8 1/2c. Special, yard.

25 pieces 40-inch Silk Mulls, in white, cream, grey, black, blue, pink, m.v.s. and lilac—25c kind, per yard.

3 numbers of Seed Dotter, twice just received. These are great bargains, at 25c, 30c and 40c. Actual worth 35c, 40c and 50c yard.

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LADIES' MUSLIN GOWNS, each, 50, 60, 75, \$1 and \$1.25.

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We are showing Ladies' Very Stylish Linen and Duck Skirts at very low prices for stylish made garments.

Ladies' Crash and Linen Dress Skirts, each, 39, 50 and 59c.

Ladies' Navy Blue and Black Duck Dress Skirts, with white dots, each, \$1 and \$1.25.

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Ladies' Covert Cloth and Thin Cotton Dress Skirts, each, \$1 and \$1.49.

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Men's Fine Quality Balbriggan Underwear in sizes from No. 30 to No. 60.

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One lot Dimity Lawns, 30 inches wide, regular 7c quality. Special price 4 1/2c yard.

One lot Light Scotch Lawns, regular 5c quality. Special price, 2 1/2c yard.

One lot Light and Dark Percalés, one-yard wide, regular 8c, 10c, and 12 1/2c quality. Special price, 4 1/2c yard.

One lot Light and Dark Dress Gingham, regular 8c and 10c quality. Special price, 4 1/2c yard.

One lot very pretty Figured Cotton Foulards, one-yard wide, regular 12 1/2c quality. Special price, 8c yard.

One lot Good White Piques, regular 10c and 12 1/2c quality. Special price, 5c yard.

One lot New York Mills Bleached Cotton, one-yard wide. The regular 8c quality. Special price, 5c yard.

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